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    UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
                                        No. 8:25-mi-00404
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              Plaintiff,
                                         GOVERNMENT'S EX PARTE APPLICATION
                                         FOR ORDER SEALING CRIMINAL
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                                         COMPLAINT AND RELATED DOCUMENTS;
                    V.
                                         DECLARATION OF KEVIN Y. FU
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    ALEXANDER G. RAMOS,
       aka "Alejandro Gerardo Ramos
                                         (UNDER SEAL)
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       Cisneros,"
       aka "Alex Ramos,"
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              Defendant.
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          The government hereby applies ex parte for an order that the
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    criminal complaint and any related documents in the above-captioned
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    case be kept under seal until the government files a "Report
    Commencing Criminal Action" in this matter.
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This ex parte application is based on the attached declaration of Kevin Y. Fu. Dated: May 15, 2025 Respectfully submitted, BILAL A. ESSAYLI United States Attorney CHRISTINA T. SHAY Assistant United States Attorney Chief, Criminal Division /s/ Kevin Y. Fu KEVIN Y. FU Assistant United States Attorney Attorneys for Plaintiff UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DECLARATION OF KEVIN Y. FU

I, KEVIN Y. FU, declare as follows:

- 1. I am an Assistant United States Attorney in the United States Attorney's Office for the Central District of California. I represent the government in the prosecution of <u>United States v.</u>

 <u>Alexander G. Ramos</u>, the criminal complaint which is being presented for a magistrate's review on May 15, 2025.
- 2. The defendant charged in the above-captioned criminal complaint has not yet been taken into custody on the charge contained in the complaint and has not been informed that he is being named as a defendant in the complaint. The likelihood of apprehending defendant might be jeopardized if the complaint in this case were made publicly available before defendant is taken into custody. In addition, there may be additional security risks to those involved in apprehending defendant if the complaint were publicly available before defendant is taken into custody.
- 3. Accordingly, the government requests that the criminal complaint and related documents in this case be sealed and remain so until defendant is taken into custody on the charge contained in the indictment and the government files a "Report Commencing Criminal Action" in this matter.
- 4. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed at Santa Ana, California, on May 15, 2025.

/s/ Kevin Y. Fu

KEVIN Y. FU